

Hello, my name is Amanda Anderson and I am a single mother of two toddlers and this issue is incredibly important to me. I am doing my best to impart my beliefs and morals to my children so that they will be the best Christians that they can be as they grow and Christian radio is really my only partner. The restrictions that you are trying to impart on Christian radio are ridiculous and infringes on our rights.

My problem with these proposals is that you are taking the very essence of these stations and throwing them out the window. Besides, if someone doesn't like what's on the radio they have the "right" to change the channel. I can understand that homosexuals and atheists, etcetera, do not approve of Christian radio but they do not HAVE to listen to it, they can change the channel. Besides taking away the rights of the stations for free speech and freedom of religion, you are also taking the rights of the listeners. We choose to listen to these stations and if you fill them with the opposite of our beliefs and then possibly cause these stations to go off air we have no other options. I don't listen to anything else, I don't want to. It is a safe environment for my children, I don't have to worry about the lyrics or the commercials or the jokes. My station never has had hate speech or anything the like on it, so I do not understand why you feel the need to "balance" air time between opposing views.

We are not uneducated, I know the opposing views but I shouldn't have to hear them constantly, it's nice to have a break.

So please, don't take away the one good constant in my life and in the lives of my children. Like I said, if someone does not like what they hear on Christian radio, they can turn the channel, I on the other hand cannot, don't make me and my family suffer in silence.

Sincerely Concerned,

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